

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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Identification Number: C00196253

Reference: October Quarterly Report (7/1/98-9/30/98)

Dear Mr. Himmelstein:

This letter is to inform you that as of September 15, 1999, the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated August 25, 1999. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

The Commission is in receipt of your 1999 April Quarterly Report on September 4, 1999; however, this does not address the issues in our letter referenced above. Please note that our initial request concerns the filing of your 1998 April and July Quarterly Reports. If no response is received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Lucy J. Denny on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

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Dear Mr. Himmelstein:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-There should not be a gap in the coverage dates for your reports. Please file the April Quarterly and July Quarterly Reports to disclose the activity from 1/2/98 through 6/30/98.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Lucy J. Denny

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